

# Sarah E. Bussard

Makeup & Wig Artisan

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**Skills:** Wefted & Hand-Tied Wig Building, Fronting, Facial Hair & Pieces, Building of Weft, Switches, & Falls, Weaving & Laying of Crepe Hair, Period Hairstyling, Life Casting, Mold Making & Prosthetics (Gelatin, Latex & Cold Foam), Make-up for Opera, Theatre, Film & SFX, Fabric Dyeing and Manipulation, Basic Millinery, Basic Stitching, Pianist, CPR & 1<sup>st</sup> Aid certified, Freelance Photographer

## **Education:**

M.F.A. Make-up and Wig Design: College-Conservatory of Music, University of Cincinnati June 2010

B.F.A. Liberal Studies-Theatre, English Literature, and Writing, Bethel College Mishawaka, IN May 2004

## **Educational Experience:**

**Teaching:** Fall 2009, Spring 2010 University of Cincinnati, College Conservatory of Music

*Intro to Makeup.* Taught introductory class for non-makeup majors covering a range of basic techniques of makeup application for large and small stages, prep, application, and care of wigs, hairpieces and facial hair.

*Makeup Labs.* Supervised lab students in various tasks related to needs of the shows or makeup shop.

**Graduate Assistant:** 2009-2010, University of Cincinnati, College Conservatory of Music

Assisted Head of program and other Graduate Assistants in taking stock of supplies, generating paperwork for makeup department, supervised/assisted other graduate students and undergraduate students as needed.

## **Design Experience:**

<i>Promises, Promises</i>	Makeup/Wig Design	Merry Go Round Playhouse	Paul David Bryant, Director	2010
<i>Evaluating Kaitly</i> (Short Film)	Makeup/Hair Design	Runaway Pen Pictures	Andrew Gilbert, Director	2009
<i>Silk Trees: (Indie Feature)</i>	Makeup/Hair Design	Evermore Pictures	Jedediah Burdick, Director	2007
<i>177: (Short Film)</i>	Makeup/Hair Design	Runaway Pen Pictures	Andrew Gilbert, Director	2007
<i>Bittersweet</i>	Makeup/Wig Design	Light Opera Works	Jim Harms, Director	2007

## **Graduate Study Work:** University of Cincinnati, College-Conservatory of Music

<i>Anything Goes</i>	Thesis Design	Ashton Byrum, Director	2010
<i>Orpheus Descending</i>	Makeup & Wig Design	Ashton Byrum, Director	2009
<i>On the Verge</i>	Makeup & Wig Design	Karen Coe Miller, Director	2008
<i>Crimes of the Heart</i>	Assistant Makeup Design	Terrel Finney, Director	2009
<i>Alcina</i>	Assistant Makeup Design	Robin Guarino, Director	2009
<i>Anon(ymous)</i>	Assistant Makeup Design	Richard Hess, Director	2007

## **Makeup & Wig Experience:**

<i>"Tecumseh's Vision</i> PBS	Makeup/Hair Assistant	Ric Burns, Director/Producer	2007
<b>Cincinnati Opera</b>	Makeup/Wigs Crew	<i>Le Nozze di Figaro, Carmen</i>	2009
<b>Chautauqua Opera</b>	Makeup & Wigs Assistant	Summer Season	2008 & 2005
<b>Utah Festival Opera</b>	Makeup & Wigs Assistant	Summer Season	2006
<b>Sarasota Opera</b>	Makeup & Wigs 2 <sup>nd</sup> Assistant	Winter Season	2006
<b>Virginia Opera</b>	Makeup & Wigs 3 <sup>rd</sup> Assistant	<i>Traviata</i>	2006
<b>Olney Theatre Center</b>	Costume Intern/Rental Coordinator	2004 Season	2004

\* For Listing of work please see Curriculum Vitae

## **References:**

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## **References:**

### **Kelly Yurko**

Associate Professor of Makeup  
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### **Ashton Byrum**

Director: *Anything Goes* (Thesis Show)  
AshtonByrum@aol.com

### **Mikel Wisler**

Director/Co-Producer: Runaway Pen Pictures  
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### **Jonathan Sabo, M.F.A.**

Associate Professor of Theatre and Speech  
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### **Tiffany Howard**

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### **Sue Sittko-Schaefer**

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